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The Morning Astorian

TELEPHONE 461.

TODAY'S WEATHER.

PORTLAND, April 21.—Oregon, partly cloudy, warmer in western portion, except near the coast; Washington, partly cloudy; Idaho, partly cloudy, showers in southeast portion; frost in early morning in north and west portions.

Gaston sells feed, grain and hay.

Try our peeled apricots in cans; they are excellent.—Johnson Bros.

Call Main 661 for your coal requirements. Orders promptly filled.

Our Perfection Blend Mocha & Java coffee can't be beat.—Johnson Bros.

For rent—7-room house, modern improvements. Inquire at 271 Exchange Street.

Japanese goods of all kinds, cheap at the Yokohama Bazaar, 622 Commercial Street.

A shipment of very fine Oregon rheubarb arrived for Johnson Bros. last evening.

Another shipment of fresh smoked Eastern ham and bacon just in.—Johnson Bros.

We have just received a shipment of home preserved wild blackberries.—Johnson Bros.

Mrs. Rasmussen does up lace curtains to perfection. Leave orders at Oregon Bakery.

Any child buys as well and as cheaply from us as the most experienced buyer.—Johnson Bros.

Three expert workmen at the Occident Barber Shop. Porcelain baths. Best bootblack in the city.

You will find the best lbe meal in the city at the Rising Sun Restaurant, No. 612 Commercial St.

You can live without our Perfection Blend Mocha and Java Coffee, but why should you?—Johnson Bros.

If you want box wood, slab wood or other firewood, telephone Kelly, the transfer man. Phone 2111 black.

The case of smallpox at Hansen's is that of one of the persons hurt in the toboggan wreck of January 26.

Patronize home industry by smoking the "Pride of Astoria" cigars; finest made. Manufactured by MacFarlane and Knobel.

P. A. Kantor, in Welch block, will call for your clothes to clean, dye, repair and press, and will deliver them. Ring up phone, red 2064.

Roslyn coal lasts longer, is cleaner and makes less trouble with stoves and chimney flues than any other. George W. Sanborn, agent, telephone, 1511.

Ladies fine hair switches, rats and trillies. All kinds of hair goods. Fine line of hair tonics and barber supplies. Will call on you if desired. A. E. Peterson, Occident Barber Shop.

Gentlemen! Two more days—Monday and Tuesday—you can select your summer suit. Fit guaranteed or no sale. Swell patterns at popular prices. C. H. Cooper's, the leading house of Astoria.

The two steam schooners Iaqua and Chico crossed out Sunday.

Born, last Saturday, to Mr. and Mrs. Dave Tweedle, of Nehalem, a son.

The George W. Elder, with cargo and passengers for this port, arrived Sunday.

Elmer Tacy, who was hurt in the January 26 toboggan catastrophe, has resumed work.

The steamship Theodor Wille, bound for Shanghai with a load of lumber, went to sea yesterday.

Mr. Rolfe, of Chicago, will remain two days longer—Monday and Tuesday—at C. H. Cooper's.

The steamer Sue H. Elmore will sail for Tillamook Bay points tomorrow (Wednesday) morning. Fare, \$3.50.

Several patients are very low at St. Mary's hospital and but little hope of recovery is expected for two of them.

For rent—Four desirable furnished rooms in the Baddollet building, corner Ninth and Commercial streets.

Mrs. Dan Barber, formerly of this city, but now of Everett, Wash., presented her husband with a son, on Saturday last.

The two Tillamook and Major Jenkins' sword are still in the possession of the Palmetto state. Nobody else wants them.

The steamer North Star started for Alaska yesterday afternoon, where she will be used as a tender for the Bristol bay cannery.

The marriage of Miss Maud Height and Vincent Giardina took place yesterday at St. Mary's church, the Rev. Father Lane officiating.

Can't be beat, our J. W. Creamery Butter. Try it, and if it does not please you—your money will be refunded.—Johnson Bros.

Sergeant Perry A. Downing, honorably discharged from the army service at Fort Canby yesterday, will locate here or in Portland, in business.

One of the finest displays of woollens in the place is now on exhibition at C. H. Cooper's. Gentlemen, come and look whether you buy or not.

A letter from Portland announces that Miss Minnie Doneka, formerly of this city, who was reported to be dying a few days ago, is now improving.

"Sport," the English setter dog, which took third prize at the Portland dog show, has been sold by his owner, C. W. Loughery, to Mr. Johnson, of Tillamook, for \$50.

The first shipment of salmon from this section to South Africa will be made from Puget Sound in a few days. The ship Arctic Stream is now being loaded in Tacoma for that purpose.

Otie Geary Gray, of Indianapolis, and Electa Ferguson of Clatsop County, were united in marriage yesterday, by Justice Goodman, and left immediately for the former place, where they will reside.

An old resident of Skamokawa, John Doherty, by name, died of Bright's disease Sunday evening. He was a native of Ireland, unmarried, and 70 years of age. His body will be shipped to Skamokawa.

An unfortunate drowning occurred in the Columbia Saturday afternoon, above Fisher's landing, in which Jas. Colla, an employe of the quarry, lost his life, while assisting in unloading a barge.

Judging from press reports the Thunder Mountain mining district of Idaho, is proving a veritable bonanza to miners. The rush for that place is unprecedented in the annals of Western mining.

A. Hoyt, the noted Clatsop criminal, while in the penitentiary serving a 20-year term, became angered at a fellow-prisoner and poured molten iron down his back, for which he was duly punished by the prison authorities.

The "non-partisan citizens" insist that they have plenty of worthy men who are willing to be led as a lamb to slaughter on their ticket. They say they will never have to go out of the Caucasian race to find material to fill their ticket.

Two eloquent sermons were delivered by Archbishop Christie at St. Mary's church Sunday. The archbishop was much gratified at the result of the general work in the parish and complimented the members of St. Mary's Literary Society very highly therefor. Thanks were also returned for the generous collection of the seminary on Easter Sunday.

A disaster, unparalleled in modern times, on account of the proximity to safety, has occurred on the Mississippi River, in which from 100 to 150 passengers lost their lives and property to the amount of many thousands of dollars was destroyed. The fire occurred in the forward hatchway and the inference is that proper precautions would have averted the great loss of life.

At the last meeting of the Eagles committee on resolutions, appointed for the purpose of drawing up resolutions congratulating member Jens H. Hansen on the birth of a daughter, presented the following, which caused a great deal of merriment: Resolved, by Astoria Aerie No. 17 F. O. E.—That Brother Jens, his babe and wife, be happy, prosperous, all through life, and that the sweet girl they adore, be followed, by two, or three, or four.

As an illustration of common good hard sense, the business men of Syracuse, New York, bear off the confectionery. At a recent meeting in that city of the leading mercantile firms, a comparison of notes, as to the results of advertising by various methods, a unanimous conclusion was arrived at that the newspaper was head and front above them all. In view of this, a conclusion was arrived at that in the future the newspaper should be the only medium through which to advertise their wares.

The registration of voters up to the time of closing last evening numbered 1205. The total registration last year was 2000. The present number registered is less than half of the voters of the county at present and less than a month is left in which to complete the registration, as May 15 closes the books. It is earnestly urged by all persons, irrespective of politics, that the voters do not lose their votes by neglecting to register. The matter should be attended to at once. The clerk's office is open every Thursday evening for the special purpose of registering voters.

At a meeting of the county central committee of the "nonpartisan citizens" last evening an organization was effected by the election of the following officers: W. J. Cook, chairman; P. B. Sovey, secretary; H. W. Dean, treasurer. It was decided to maintain headquarters in the Kinney building. The question of supplying the vacancies on the ticket, caused by declinations, of county judge and assessor, was left in abeyance until this evening. Captain J. E. Campbell was elected to a place on the ticket in place of Colonel E. C. Hughes, who leaves the city in a few days.

Dr. J. A. Fulton, of this city, who has been studying the smallpox problem this year, says that 24,157 cases have been reported in the United States; that 707 cases, about 3 per cent have proved fatal. He says in the State of Oregon so far as can be ascertained the death rate is much less—more than one per cent of the cases reported having proved fatal. Out of 357 cases at Marshfield, there was only one death and out of over 100 cases in Portland there has been no death. While the smallpox is unusually mild, the vaccinations have proved very severe. The Hansen case is very mild and the case of Moore, the logger from Olsen's logging camp, who was sent to the pest house Sunday morning is a very mild one. A majority of physicians and persons favor vaccination and a majority of persons throughout the country have been vaccinated. Two years ago vaccination did not take in this city, but there has been no complaint this year.

The committee appointed by the Push Club to confer with last year's regatta committee will meet at the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce at 7:30 o'clock tonight; the general opinion seems to be in favor of holding a regatta this year. Some believe that if the regatta was passed this year the business people would notice the difference in their receipts and put up more liberally next year; but on the other hand it is feared that if the regatta is once dropped it would be very hard to revive the same interest and harder to advertise the event. The main difficulty of course is in finding suitable men to manage the affair; those most interested—the business men—do not like to take hold because

the carnival comes during the busiest month of the year and it would be a great sacrifice for them to leave their business during that month. It is hoped, however, that some of our public spirited lawyers, doctors, real estate and insurance agents and public officials will come forward and offer their services for the good of the town.

AN OLD CRIMINAL

Hoyt Recently Sent to Prison Has a Diabolical Record.

On the trip to the penitentiary with A. Hoyt, who pleaded guilty and was sentenced to one year, Sheriff Linville became convinced that Hoyt was the identical fiend who committed a diabolical deed in this country more than 20 years ago and was sentenced to the pen for a term of 20 years. His crime is remembered by old timers and it is also a fact that after he had been sent to prison it was 17 years before he was even made a trusty. Only out a short time, he began a criminal career again, and but for his prompt plea of guilty, the officers would have learned of his former career and his sentence would have been made the full limit, accordingly.

Sheriff Linville knew at the time he locked Hoyt up the last time that he was an old stager, and so remarked at the time, but not knowing what crime he had been sent up for he could say nothing.

The records of early times are very meager and unreliable, but from what appears of record the following seem to be the facts in the case of Hoyt's conviction in the courts of this country in 1881:

The trial of Al Hoyt under an indictment, charging him with a criminal and felonious assault upon the person of one Ida Cook, a female under the age of 14 years, was begun before Judge Raleigh. Stott in the circuit court on August 19, 1881. The prisoner entered a plea of not guilty and a jury composed of the following citizens was empaneled to try the case: Robert Lamphere, John Loomis, E. C. Jeffers, Andrew Anderson, George Heller, W. H. Lelids, Samuel Arndt, Geo. Bender, Maxwell Young, J. W. Bottom, G. W. Raymond and William Johnson.

J. F. Taylor, deputy district attorney, prosecuted the case, under the direction of J. F. Caples, who was the district attorney at the time and who was more recently United States consul at one of the ports of South America and at present a resident of Portland, where he is still engaged in the practice of law.

The defendant, by his attorney, stubbornly contested the case, but the evidence against him was absolutely irrefutable, the victim being positive in her identification, the result being that the jury, after a short consultation, returned a verdict of guilty as charged in the indictment.

On motion of Hoyt's attorney, sentence was deferred until August 12, 1881, in order to make a motion for a new trial. The motion, however, was never carried into effect and on the date mentioned Judge Stott sentenced Hoyt to be confined in the state penitentiary at hard labor for the term of 20 years.

Some talk of lynching was indulged in at the time, but the law was allowed to take its course.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

Ordinance Passed Against Fishing Apparatus in Obstruction of Navigation.

With the mayor and all of the councilmen, and the city recorder and attorney present last evening, considerable business was transacted. Among the most important matters before the council was the ordinance against the obstruction of navigation an ever-vigilant deemed an obstructive in the river except wharves and other structures in aid of navigation, and further giving the chief of police authority upon 10 days notice to remove any such obstructions, and the ordinance also provided, a penalty of \$10 to \$300 fine or 100 days imprisonment, or both the fine and imprisonment, for violating the ordinance, and also provides against throwing sawdust or other obstructions into the river. The ordinance was passed by a unanimous vote.

Another ordinance was passed fixing the pay of laborers for the city at \$2.50 a day from May 1 to October 1, and at all other times of the year at \$2 a day.

A resolution was passed authorizing the fire and water committee to purchase two horses to supply those now about exhausted with age and work for hose cart No. 1.

No action was taken on the claim presented by the proprietor of the Astor House for \$250 alleged damages for the recent quarantine against that hotel.

Petitions were received from P. Peterson, Axel Jacobson and August Nelson for retail liquor license, which were referred to the proper committee.

Liquor licenses were granted to Seafeldt & Wikkala, Martin Francisco-vitch and Nelson Hursey.

An ordinance was finally passed amending section 2, of ordinance 1837, providing for the taxing of every person applying for retail liquor license the sum of \$400, and that no license shall issue for less than one year and that any license may be revoked by council and cannot be transferred without the consent of the council, also requiring bond of the liquor dealer.

Ordinance passed appropriating \$142 to N. Clinton.

The roadway to Smiths Point was recommended to be repaired.

Letter of P. J. Goodman, setting forth that he had signed petition for street improvement under misapprehension of facts, referred to street committee.

The application of H. P. Olsen, by his attorney, J. H. Aiken, to remove obstruction from lot 14, block 8, and to remove street obstruction, referred to committee.

Communication was filed from surveyor and superintendent that Fifteenth street from Commercial to Exchange and Franklin avenue from Twelfth to Sixth and Eleventh and Commercial to Exchange and Grand avenue from Fourteenth to Seventeenth streets were beyond repair under present conditions.

The report of surveyor and superintendent of needed improvement on Taylor street, leading to Seaside, was referred to the street committee.

C. H. Page's proposition to pay \$100 for Astor street assessment was heard and the council offered to accept \$120. Mrs. Gearhart's application for reduction of Grand avenue assessment was granted. F. J. Reed filed application for tax relief for 1892.

Board of equalization recommended that new assessment be made for improvement on Commercial street from Tenth to Fourteenth to cure former erroneous assessment, granted.

A number of recommendations and resolutions of small importance were before the council regarding street improvements.

Following were among the bills allowed:

Griffin & Reed, \$11.
A. Leberman, \$72.50.
J. S. Dellinger Co., \$20.55.
Sherman Transfer Co., \$10.50.
James O'Kiehl, \$7.50.
Astoria Wood Yard Co., \$23.25.
Robinson Furniture Co., \$23.20.
Olaf Peterson, \$2.50.
Mrs. H. H. Schell, \$15.54.
Prael & Cook Transfer Co., \$1.
G. G. Wilson, \$4.
Seaside Bakery, 30cts.
Alfred Davis, \$5.
J. C. Clinton, \$19.
J. C. Clinton, \$13.75.
West Shore Light Co., \$340.25.
Board of Assessors, \$30.
Ponari & Stokes Co., \$10.10.
Fisher Bros., \$15.50.
Sherman Transfer Co., \$3.
H. F. Prael, \$32.25.
Astoria Electric Company, \$5.
Astoria Electric Company, \$16.
Andrew Asp, \$3.15.
R. M. Gaston, 75cts.
Fisher Bros., \$1.65.
Ross, Higgins & Co., \$55.22.
Prael & Cook Transfer Co., \$6.58.
Astoria Box Co., \$6.62.
J. B. Baumgarten, \$19.
R. M. Gaston \$1.
L. Harwig, \$1.
C. A. Lidenweber \$6.58.
Scholfield & Hauke, \$18.

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Men's and Boys' Caps 25, 35, 50 and 75 cents.

" " " Hats 1.00, 1.50, 1.75, 2.00, 2.50 to 5.00.

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